Listing and Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-7. (CANCELLED)

8. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process for managing service data in a television system in which the service data are transmitted, comprising a step of acquiring information containing a list of broadcast services and supplementary data relative to these services and of storing the acquired information in a first database of a receiver; wherein

the process comprises the step of:

- copying information stored in the first database to a second database of the receiver for the updating of the second database, the copying being suspended during acquiring of a new list of services;
- making the data stored in the second database available to at least one application of the said receiver, and
- when the acquired list of broadcast services changes, of acquiring the new list of services in the first database, and of copying the acquired list of broadcast services to the second database when the entire list has been acquired in the first database.
- 9. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 8, wherein the updating of the second database is performed immediately after acquiring a service datum.
- 10. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 8, wherein the updating of the second database is performed after a predetermined time interval after a request for acquisition of a service datum.

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- 11. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 9, wherein the updating of the second database is performed after a predetermined time interval after a request for acquisition of a service datum.
- 12. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 8, wherein the updating of the second database is performed only following a request of an application.
- 13. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 9, wherein the moment of the update is dependent on the type of the service datum.
- 14. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Process according to Claim 8, wherein the process furthermore comprises the steps of:
- when a service changes, acquiring new supplementary information relating to this service and suspending the updating of the second database with the new supplementary information until a request of an application.
- 15. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) Television receiver in a television system with transmission of service data, comprising:
- means for acquiring information containing a list of broadcast service and supplementary data relative to these services;
 - means for storing information in a first service database;
- means for copying the acquired list of broadcast services to a second database;

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- detection means of a change of list of broadcast services, the detection means controlling the means for copying the list of broadcast services; and
- means for suspending updating of the second database from the first database during acquiring of a new list of services.